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<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>	Attorney Docket No.	21.1997-C	
	Application Number	10/647,321	
	Filing Date	August 26, 2003	
	First Named Inventor	Susumu KINOSHITA et al.	
	Group Art Unit	3663	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Ari M Diacou

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	12	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 4 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>July 23, 2007</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):					0.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☐ Check enclosed as payment.  
☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.  
☒ No payment is enclosed.

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:  
Deposit Account No. 19-3935  
Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Aaron C. Walker	Reg. No.	59,921
Signature		Date	6-25-07



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3663  
Docket No.: 21.1997-C

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Susumu KINOSHITA et al.

Serial No. 10/647,321

Group Art Unit: 3663

Confirmation No. 2029

Filed: August 26, 2003

Examiner: Ari M Diacou

For: OPTICAL AMPLIFICATION METHOD AND DEVICE USABLE WITH BANDS OTHER  
THAN THE C-BAND

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 23, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on July 23, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.